

Amendments to the Specification:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please replace the paragraphs starting at page 11, line 20, through page 12, line 15, with the following paragraphs:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE FIGURES

- Figure 1: Shows an *in vitro* deposition pattern of a concentrated aerosolized beclomethasone dipropionate dispersion from an ultrasonic nebulizer.
- Figure 2: Shows an *in vitro* deposition pattern of a concentrated aerosolized beclomethasone dipropionate dispersion from a jet nebulizer.
- Figure 3: Shows the aerodynamic volume distribution diameter of a spray-dried naproxen aerosol (2% (w/w) naproxen).
- Figure 4: Shows a scanning electron micrograph of spray-dried naproxen aerosol particles (aggregated naproxen/polyvinylpyrrolidone (surface modifier) nanoparticles, demonstrating the overall uniformity of size and the spherical nature of the particles.
- Figure 5: Shows the aerodynamic volume distribution diameter of a spray-dried naproxen aerosol (5% (w/w) naproxen).
- Figure 6: Shows the aerodynamic volume distribution diameter of a spray-dried triamcinolone acetonide (TA) aerosol (10% (w/w) TA).
- Figure 7: Shows two photomicrographs: Fig. 8(A) shows spray-dried nanoparticulate budesonide particles, and Fig. 8(B) shows particles of micronized budesonide.
- Figure 8: Shows the particle size distribution (by volume) of a reconstituted freeze-dried anti-emetic aerosol containing dextrose diluent.
- Figure 9: Shows the particle size distribution of a reconstituted freeze-dried anti-emetic aerosol containing mannitol diluent.

Figure 10: Shows a scanning electron micrograph of nanoparticulate TA milled in a non-pressurized propellant system.

Figure 11: Fig. 11(A) shows aqueous suspension of micronized Drug Substance, and Fig. 11(B) shows colloidal Dispersion of drug nanoparticles.

Figure 12: Fig. 12(A) shows micronized drug substance not less than 2 μm in diameter, Fig 12(B) shows respirable aggregates of nanoparticles less than 2 μm to 100 μm in diameter, and Figure 12(C) shows respirable diluent particles containing embedded of nanoparticles, less than 2 μm to 100 μm in diameter.

Figure 13: Fig. 13(A) shows respirable aggregates of nanoparticles mixed with an inert carrier, and Fig. 13(B) shows respirable diluent particles containing embedded nanoparticles mixed with an inert carrier.

At page 15, please delete the drawings at lines 5-12.

At page 17, please delete the drawings at lines 10-18.

At page 21, please delete the drawings at lines 17-27.